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In re application of : Confirmation No. 3354  
Knut Ingvar ÅSEN et al. : Docket No. 2001-0698A  
Serial No. 09/857,415 : Group Art Unit 1754  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of June 13, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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